

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q87983

Jean BEGUINOT, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/535,174

Group Art Unit: 1793

Confirmation No.: 2367

Examiner: Christine CHEN

Filed: March 17, 2006

For: WELDABLE COMPONENT OF STRUCTURAL STEEL AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

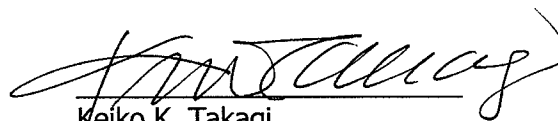
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of June 11, 2008, from September 11, 2008 to November 12, 2008 (timely filed, November 11, 2008 being a Federal Holiday).

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$490.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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